



Oaklands Primary School RE Curriculum Map

Key Stage 1		Autumn	Spring	Summer
		Special me, special times – Birthdays and Christmas -what/who is special to me -when is my birthday, how do people celebrate their birthday? -Christmas is a special time for Christians, retell the Christmas story	Special Places, Special Times – Easter Visit Church (St Andrew's Church) -what is a special place for me? -what is a church? -Easter is the most important time of year for Christians	Special Stories – God/Creation, Jesus -what is your favourite/special story? -What a Wonderful World story -House Upon the Rock story -Jesus and his Disciples story
Key Stage 1	Year 1	Why is Jesus and Christmas important to Christians? Festival - Christmas -Jesus is the son of God, Jesus is kind, caring and forgiving. Jesus means 'God saves' -Advent is the time before Christmas, Christmas is the festival of Jesus' birth, retell the story -Jesus was baptised (welcomed into Christianity)	What do Christians believe about God and how the world was created? -God is the creator of the universe, they must respect and look after what He has made for them -Harvest says thank you to God for what He has provided/humans need to care for the world God created -Christians talk to God through prayer and worship	What do Muslims believe about Allah and Muhammad? Muslim visitor -Muslims follow Islam, Allah created the universe, humans need to look after the world -Muhammad is a messenger from Allah, sent to teach his teachings -the Five Pillars of Islam show the will of Allah (faith, prayer, giving, fasting, pilgrimage)
	Year 2	What do Christians believe about love (Agape)? -Jesus had 12 special friends called disciples -Jesus showed people love, kindness and forgiveness, this is how people need to treat other people -The Lord's prayer is about forgiveness, people should forgive others	What do Christians believe about Salvation? Festival – Easter -The Bible is the Christian holy book, it is divided into Old and New Testament -the festival of Easter remembers the last days of Jesus' life -Jesus died so people can be forgiven and rose again from the dead, giving hope of new life	What do Muslims believe about belief and commitment (iman)? Festival – Ramadan -The Qur'an (Muslim holy book) was revealed to Muhammad on the Night of Power, retell the story -Ramadan celebrates Muhammad receiving the first revelations from the Qur'an -Muslims pray five times a day and recite the Qur'an, face Mecca



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Lower Key Stage 2	Year 3	Autumn	Spring	Summer
		What do Christians believe about God and incarnation? Church visit - Baptism welcomes a person into the Christian Church - Jesus teaches Christians to believe in one God: The Father - Jesus is the son of God and able to perform miracles as the human incarnation of God	What do Jews believe about the Torah, God and the Covenant? Festival – Passover - God first made his covenant agreement with Abraham - Moses received the 10 commandments from God - Passover is an 8-day festival celebrating the exodus of Jews from Egypt - Jews visit the synagogue to worship God and read the holy book the Torah	What do Muslims believe about Islam and Iman? - Praying five times a day is one way Muslims submit to Allah, helps remind them what is important - Shahadah is the declaration of faith, which contains the Muslim creed, the Kalimah - Angel Gabriel was sent down with God's holy book, the Qur'an is a copy of this book and is treated with great respect
Upper Key Stage 2	Year 4	What do Hindus believe about Dharma, deity and atman? Festival – Diwali - Brahman is the name of god for Hindus, they worship Brahman in many different forms (deities) - Diwali is an important festival, it celebrates light over dark and remembers the Rama and Sita story - Hindus worship (puja) at the mandir and at home	What do Christians believe about salvation? Festival – Easter - The salvation story has four main claims, God created a perfect world, Humanity went wrong, to save Humanity, God had a salvation plan, God came as Jesus who saves humanity - Easter is an important festival for Christians celebrating the resurrection of Jesus. Christians believe that because Jesus died on the cross they can be forgiven by God - Forgiveness is important to Christians. Christians forgive the sins of others like God forgives their sins	What do Christians believe about agape? - Agape love is unconditional love like God has for all of humanity. It is selfless and unconditional - Christians are taught how to show love and kindness to everyone, bible stories give examples - Christians offer help and support to their local communities
		What do Christians believe about God and incarnation? Festival – Christmas - The Christmas story is found in two Gospels - Christians pray because they believe that Jesus is with them to listen and to help - Christians believe that God is love and it matters what people do. Jesus is God with us	What do Jews believe about the Torah, God and the Covenant? Jewish visitor - Abraham is the founding father of the covenant - Jews coming of age ceremonies – bar and bat mitzvah - Shabbat is the Jewish day of rest - Jewish scriptures are called the Tenakh, the Torah is most important	What do Muslims believe about Islam and Iman? Mosque visit/Muslim visitor - The practises Zakat (giving) and Saum (fasting) show the concept of Khalifah - Recall and understand the importance of the story Bilal for Muslims - Muhammad is the final prophet and that other prophets came before him - the meaning of the words Islam and Muslim
Upper Key Stage 2	Year 5	What do Hindus believe about dharma, deity and atman? Festival – Holi - Hinduism is a pluralistic religion but has one supreme being – Brahman who exists in everything - Hindus believe in reincarnation, when the body dies their atman (soul) may move onto another being. When the soul breaks out of reincarnation it joins with Brahman - Holi is an important festival, it is the celebration of Spring and new life, good over evil and is a day of spreading happiness and love	What do Christians believe about salvation? Festival – Easter - Atonement in Christianity refers to forgiving sin through the death and resurrection of Jesus - Easter celebrates Jesus dying to pay the debt of humanity's sins. Christians can be forgiven by God and live in relationship with Him, faith in Jesus gives eternal life - there are different baptisms but all are a symbolic way of joining the Church for Christians, using water and new life	What do Christians believe about agape? Church - The Beatitudes are part of the Sermon on the Mount where Jesus spoke to his people on a mountain about selfless, unconditional love - revenge means paying someone back for a wrong they have done you; reconciliation means bringing people back together who have been separated by a wrong of some sort - the Christian church shows the love of God to both its members and the rest of society. People should treat each other how they wish to be treated